

House Resolution No. 4148

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives wholeheartedly believe that a successful marriage forms a firm foundation for a lifetime of happiness and security and wish to salute an outstanding Missouri couple whose union confirms that philosophy; and

Whereas, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Beeman, treasured residents of Harrisonville, Missouri, commemorated the resplendent occasion of their Fiftieth Wedding Anniversary on March 12, 2005, with a festive celebration in Harrisonville; and

Whereas, joined in marriage before the eyes of the Lord on March 12, 1955, Ivan O. Beeman and Rebekah J. Taylor began their lives together as husband and wife after a memorable wedding ceremony in Bentonville, Arkansas; and

Whereas, a proud father and caring husband, Mr. Beeman provided a safe and secure future for his loved ones as a stellar employee of Yellow Freight Corporation for twenty-nine years, while somehow finding the time and energy for affiliation with the Cass County Masonic Lodge 147; and

Whereas, a devoted wife, loving mother, and exemplary homemaker who likes reading, sports, and visiting her grandchildren, Mrs. Beeman enjoyed her family immensely and further distinguished herself as a nurse for Drs. Jones, Wheeler, and Henry, and as a valuable employee of the Cass Medical Center in Harrisonville, from which she retired in 1998; and

Whereas, Ivan and Rebekah Beeman attribute their fifty years of wedded success and happiness to their strong sense of faith and family, the foundation upon which they have planted the seeds of their love and respect for each other in the generations to follow which include their four sons, Ivan E. Beeman, R. Keith Beeman, Gary D. Beeman, and James D. Beeman; and their seven grandchildren:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, unanimously join in a thunderous round of applause for Ivan and Rebekah Beeman upon the glorious celebration of their Golden Wedding Anniversary, and in wishing them much peace and contentment as they proudly continue their journey along life's path; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Beeman.

Offered by _____
Representative Rex Rector
District No. 124

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,
Ninety-third General Assembly, First Regular Session, do
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House
Resolution No. 4148, adopted August 9, 2005.

Rod Jetton, Speaker